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AFFIRMATION

I, Paul Brody, affirm that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statements and supporting schedules pertaining to Timber Hill LLC, as of December 31, 2007, are true and correct. I further affirm that neither the Company nor any officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer.

Signature

Date

Chief Financial Officer

Title

Notary Public

DOUGLAS A. MADÓNIA Notary Public, State of Connecticut

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2007
AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT
AND
SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL

Filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5(e)(3) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as a Public Document

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

FEB 29 2008

To the Managing Member and Members of Timber Hill LLC Greenwich, CT

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We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Timber Hill LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2007, that you are filing pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, such statement of financial condition presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company at December 31, 2007, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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February 26, 2008

TIMBER HILL LLC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION As of December 31, 2007

Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 10,004,893
Cash segregated for regulatory purposes	377,450
Securities borrowed	4,863,523,773
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	35,001,167
Trading assets, at market:	
Financial instruments owned	5,874,400,381
Financial instruments owned and pledged as collateral	<u>4,625,990,710</u>
	10,500,391,091
Other receivables:	
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	1,872,445,459
Affiliates	180,052,658
Interest	18,900,993
	2,071,399,110
Other assets	<u>36,833,661</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 17,517,531,145</u>
Liabilities and members' capital	
Liabilities:	
Trading liabilities - financial instruments sold but	
not yet purchased, at market	\$ 9,546,627,894
Securities loaned	4,396,859,115
Short-term borrowings	126,412,413
Other payables:	
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations	1,252,775,185
Affiliates	103,148,819
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	22,934,349
Interest	19,114,563
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Liabilities subordinated to the claims of general creditors	260,000,000
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Members' capital	1,789,658,807
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Total liabilities and members' capital	<u>\$ 17,517,531,145</u>
See accompanying notes to the statement of financial condition	
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TIMBER HILL LLC

Notes to Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2007

1. Organization and Nature of Business

Timber Hill LLC (the "Company") is a broker-dealer and a member of various securities and commodities exchanges. The Company is also a member of the National Futures Association and a registered Futures Commission Merchant ("FCM"). All security and commodity transactions are cleared either by the Company or through other clearing brokers and organizations. The Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities. The Company executes orders and carries positions in commodity futures and options on a limited scale and on an omnibus basis for Interactive Brokers LLC, an affiliated U.S. broker dealer and FCM.

The Company is 99.99% owned by IBG LLC, ("IBG LLC" or "the Group"), a Connecticut limited liability company. In addition to the Company, The Group is comprised of the following companies: Timber Hill Europe AG ("THE"), Timber Hill Securities Hong Kong Limited ("THSHK"), Timber Hill Australia Pty Limited ("THA"), Timber Hill Canada Company ("THC"), Interactive Brokers LLC ("IB LLC"), Interactive Brokers Canada Inc. ("IBC"), Interactive Brokers (U.K.) Limited ("IBUK"), Interactive Brokers (India) Private Limited ("IBI"), Interactive Brokers Hungary Kft ("IBH") and IB Exchange Corp. ("IBEC").

The Group is consolidated into Interactive Brokers Group, Inc. ("IBG, Inc."), which first issued shares of common stock in its Initial Public Offering ("IPO") in May 2007 (Note 13).

2. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

This statement of financial condition is presented in U.S. dollars and has been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"). The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures in the statement of financial condition and accompanying notes. Estimates, by their nature, are based on judgment and available information. Therefore, actual results could differ materially from those estimates. Such estimates include estimated fair value of financial instruments, estimated useful lives of property and equipment, compensation accruals and tax liabilities.

Fair Value

At December 31, 2007, substantially all of the Company's assets and liabilities, including financial instruments, were carried at fair value or at amounts that approximate fair value.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company defines cash equivalents as short-term, highly liquid securities and cash deposits with original maturities of three months or less, other than those used for trading purposes.

Cash and Securities — Segregated for Regulatory Purposes

As a result of activities with customers of certain affiliates, the Company is obligated by rules mandated by its primary regulators including the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and the Commodities Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC") to segregate or set aside cash or qualified securities to satisfy such regulations, which regulations have been promulgated to protect customer assets. In addition, the Company is a member of various clearing organizations at which cash or securities are deposited as required to conduct day-to-day clearance activities.

Securities Borrowed and Securities Loaned

Securities borrowed and securities loaned are recorded at the amount of cash collateral advanced or received. Securities borrowed transactions require the Company to provide counterparties with collateral, which may be in the form of cash, letters of credit, or other securities. With respect to securities loaned, the Company receives collateral, which may be in the form of cash or other securities in an amount generally in excess of the fair value of the securities loaned.

The Company monitors the market value of securities borrowed and loaned on a daily basis, with additional collateral obtained or refunded as required contractually. Receivables and payables with the same counterparty are not offset in the statement of financial condition. For these transactions, the fees received or paid by the Company are recorded as interest income or interest expense in the statement of income.

Securities Purchased Under Agreements to Resell and Securities Sold Under Agreements to Repurchase

Securities purchased under agreements to resell and securities sold under agreements to repurchase are treated as collateralized financing transactions and are recorded at contract value, plus accrued interest. The Company's policy is to obtain possession of collateral with a fair value equal to or in excess of the principal amount loaned under resale agreements. To ensure that the fair value of the underlying collateral remains sufficient, this collateral is valued daily with additional collateral obtained or excess collateral returned, as required under contractual provisions.

Financial Instruments Owned and Sold But Not Yet Purchased

Stocks, government and corporate bonds, futures and options transactions are reported in the statement of financial condition on a trade date basis. Substantially all financial instruments owned and financial instruments sold but not yet purchased are recorded at fair value based upon quoted market prices. All firm-owned financial instruments pledged to counterparties where the counterparty has the right, by contract or custom, to sell or repledge the financial instruments are classified as financial instruments owned and pledged as collateral in the statement of financial condition.

The Company also enters into cross-currency swap transactions with certain of its affiliates. These transactions, which are also reported on a trade date basis, are agreements to exchange a fixed amount of one currency for a specified amount of a second currency at the outset and at completion of the swap term. Unrealized mark-to-market gains and losses on cross-currency swap transactions are reported as components of financial instruments owned or financial instruments sold but not yet purchased. Net earnings or losses are reported as components of trading gains in the statement of income.

Receivables from and Payables to Brokers, Dealers and Clearing Organizations

Receivables from brokers, dealers and clearing organizations include amounts receivable for securities not delivered by the Company to the purchaser by the settlement date ("fails to deliver") and margin deposits. Payables to brokers, dealers and clearing organizations include amounts payable for securities not received by the Company from a seller by the settlement date ("fails to receive"). Receivables and payables to brokers, dealers and clearing organizations also include net payables and receivables from unsettled trades.

Foreign Currency Translation

Foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities are translated into U.S. Dollars at the period-end exchange rate. Foreign currency denominated revenues and expenses are translated at the exchange rates in effect at the transaction dates. Translation gains and losses are included in trading gains in the statement of income as substantially all translation arises from trading related activities and balances.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment consist of purchased technology hardware and software, leasehold improvements and office furniture and equipment. Property and equipment are recorded at historical cost, less accumulated depreciation and amortization. Additions and improvements that extend the lives of assets are capitalized, while expenditures for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the lesser of the estimated economic useful life of the asset or the term of the lease, generally three to seven years. Computer equipment is depreciated over three to five years and office furniture and equipment are depreciated over five to seven years. Total property and equipment of \$6,655,788, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization of \$3,116,899, is included in other assets at December 31, 2007.

Stock-Based Compensation

The Company follows SFAS No. 123(R), "Share-Based Payment," to account for its stock-based compensation plans. SFAS No. 123(R) is a revision of SFAS No. 123, "Accounting for Stock-Based Compensation," and supersedes Accounting Principles Board ("APB") Opinion No. 25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees" and amends SFAS No. 95, "Statement of Cash Flows." SFAS No. 123(R) requires all share-based

payments to employees to be recognized in the statement of financial condition using a fair value-based method.

Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 109, "Accounting for Income Taxes," which requires the recognition of tax benefits or expenses on the temporary differences between the financial reporting and tax bases of assets and liabilities. In June 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued FASB Interpretation ("FIN") No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes — an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109". FIN No. 48 clarifies the accounting for uncertainty of income tax positions recognized in financial statements in accordance with SFAS No. 109. FIN No. 48 prescribes a "more likely than not" threshold and measurement attribute for recognition in the statement of financial condition of an asset or liability resulting from a tax position taken or expected to be taken in an income tax return.

FIN No. 48 was adopted by the Company as of January 1, 2007. As a result of adoption and as of December 31, 2007, no adjustments were required to be made to existing income tax reserves and no new income tax assets or liabilities were recognized.

The Company operates in the United States as a limited liability company that is treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Accordingly, the Company's income is not subject to U.S. federal income taxes.

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In September 2006, the FASB issued SFAS No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements." SFAS No. 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and requires enhanced disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS No. 157 requires companies to disclose the fair value of its financial instruments according to a fair value hierarchy (i.e., levels 1, 2, and 3, as defined). Additionally, companies are required to provide enhanced disclosure regarding instruments in the level 3 category, including a reconciliation of the beginning and ending balances separately for each major category of assets and liabilities. SFAS No. 157 is effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007 and for interim periods within those fiscal years. Adoption of SFAS No. 157 is not expected to have a material effect on the Company's financial condition.

In February 2007, the FASB issued SFAS No. 159, "The Fair Value Option for Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities, Including an amendment of FASB Statement No. 115." SFAS No. 159 permits entities to choose, at specified election dates, to measure many financial instruments and certain other items at fair value that are not currently required to be measured at fair value. SFAS No. 159 is effective for financial statements issued for an entity's first fiscal year beginning after November 15, 2007. Adoption of SFAS No. 159 is not expected to have a material effect on the Company's financial condition.

In December 2007, the FASB issued SFAS No. 141(R), "Business Combinations" SFAS No. 141(R) replaces SFAS No. 141, mandating changes in the accounting for business combinations most notably that changes in purchase price allocations, if made, are required to be applied retrospectively, whereas under SFAS No. 141, such changes were

applied prospectively. SFAS No. 141(R) is effective for an entity's fiscal year beginning after December 15, 2008, and early adoption is not permitted. Adoption of SFAS No. 141(R) is not expected to have a material effect on the Company's financial condition.

3. Trading Activities and Related Risks

The Company's trading activities include providing securities market maker and brokerage services to affiliates. Trading activities are generated by affiliate client order flow and the taking of proprietary positions based on expectations of future market movements and conditions. The Company's trading strategies rely on the integrated management of its client-driven and proprietary positions, along with related hedging and financing.

Trading activities expose the Company to market and credit risks. These risks are managed in accordance with established risk management policies and procedures. To accomplish this, management has established a risk management process that includes:

- A regular review of the risk management process by executive management as part of its oversight role;
- Defined risk management policies and procedures supported by a rigorous analytic framework; and
- Articulated risk tolerance levels as defined by executive management that are regularly reviewed to ensure that the Company's risk-taking is consistent with its business strategy, capital structure, and current and anticipated market conditions.

Market Risk

The Company is exposed to various market risks. Exposures to market risks arise from equity price risk, foreign currency exchange rate fluctuations and changes in interest rates.

The Company seeks to mitigate market risk associated with trading inventories by employing hedging strategies that correlate rate, price and spread movements of trading inventories and related financing and hedging activities. The Company uses a combination of cash instruments and exchange traded derivatives to hedge its market exposures. The following discussion describes the types of market risk faced by the Company:

Equity Price Risk

Equity price risk arises from the possibility that equity security prices will fluctuate, affecting the value of equity securities and other instruments that derive their value from a particular stock, a defined basket of stocks, or a stock index. The Company is subject to equity price risk primarily in securities owned and securities sold, not yet purchased. The Company attempts to limit such risks by diversifying its portfolio across many different options, futures and underlying securities and avoiding concentrations of positions based on the same underlying security.

Currency Risk

Currency risk arises from the possibility that fluctuations in foreign exchange rates will impact the value of financial instruments. Exchange rate contracts include cross-

currency swaps and currency futures contracts. Currency swaps are agreements to exchange future payments in one currency for payments in another currency. These agreements are used to convert assets or liabilities denominated in different currencies. Currency futures are contracts for delayed delivery of currency at a specified future date. The Company uses currency swaps to manage the levels of its non-U.S. dollar currency balances and currency cash and futures to hedge its global exposure.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect the value of financial instruments. The Company is exposed to interest rate risk on debt, cash and margin balances and positions carried in equity securities, options and futures. These risks are managed through investment policies and by entering into interest rate futures contracts.

Credit Risk

The Company is exposed to risk of loss if an individual, counterparty or issuer fails to perform its obligations under contractual terms ("default risk"). Both cash instruments and derivatives expose the Company to default risk. The Company has established policies and procedures for mitigating credit risk on principal transactions, including reviewing and establishing limits for credit exposure, maintaining collateral, and continually assessing the creditworthiness of counterparties.

In the normal course of business, the Company executes, settles and finances various securities transactions for its affiliates and their customers. Execution of these transactions includes the purchase and sale of securities by the Company that exposes the Company to default risk arising from the potential that counterparties may fail to satisfy their obligations. In these situations, the Company may be required to purchase or sell financial instruments at unfavorable market prices to satisfy obligations to counterparties. The Company seeks to control the risks associated with its affiliate margin activities by requiring affiliates to maintain collateral in compliance with regulatory and internal guidelines.

Liabilities to other brokers and dealers related to unsettled transactions (i.e., securities failed-to-receive) are recorded at the amount for which the securities were purchased, and are paid upon receipt of the securities from other brokers or dealers. In the case of aged securities failed-to-receive, the Company may purchase the underlying security in the market and seek reimbursement for any losses from the counterparty.

The Company enters into securities purchased under agreements to resell and securities sold under agreements to repurchase transactions ("repos") in addition to securities borrowing and lending arrangements, all of which may result in credit exposure in the event the counterparty to a transaction is unable to fulfill its contractual obligations. In accordance with industry practice, repos are collateralized by securities with a market value in excess of the obligation under the contract. Similarly, securities borrowed and loaned agreements are collateralized by deposits of cash. The Company attempts to minimize credit risk associated with these activities by monitoring collateral values on a daily basis and requiring additional collateral to be deposited with or returned to the Company when deemed necessary.

Concentrations of Credit Risk

The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with its trading and other activities is measured on an individual counterparty basis, as well as by groups of counterparties that share similar attributes. Concentrations of credit risk can be affected by changes in political, industry, or economic factors. To reduce the potential for risk concentration, credit limits are established and monitored in light of changing counterparty and market conditions. As of December 31, 2007, the Company did not have any concentrations of credit risk.

Off-Balance Sheet Risks

The Company may be exposed to a risk of loss not reflected in the statement of financial condition for certain derivative instruments, including equity options and futures products and for securities sold, but not yet purchased, which represent obligations of the Company to deliver specified securities at contracted prices, which may create a liability to repurchase them in the market at prevailing prices. Accordingly, these transactions result in off-balance sheet risk as the Company's cost to liquidate such securities and futures contracts may exceed the amount reported in the Company's statement of financial condition.

4. Securities Owned and Sold But Not Yet Purchased

At December 31, 2007, securities owned and sold but not yet purchased consisted of securities, at quoted market prices, as follows:

		<u>Owned</u>	Sold But Not Yet Purchased
Stocks Options	\$	5,628,988,370 4,680,447,834	\$ 3,941,584,083 5,604,980,636
U.S. Treasury Bills		184,433,722	-
Corporate Bonds		6,521,165	 63,175
	<u>\$</u>	10,500,391,091	\$ 9,546,627,894

5. Collateral

The Company enters into securities borrowing and lending transactions and agreements to repurchase and resell securities to finance trading inventory, to obtain securities for settlement and to earn residual interest rate spreads. Under these transactions, the Company either receives or provides collateral, including equity, corporate debt and U.S. Government securities. Under many agreements, the Company is permitted to sell or repledge securities received as collateral and use these securities to secure repurchase agreements, enter into securities lending transactions or deliver these securities to counterparties to cover short positions. At December 31, 2007, the fair value of securities received as collateral where the Company is permitted to sell or repledge the securities was approximately \$4.7 billion, substantially all of which has been repledged or resold.

In the normal course of business, the Company pledges qualified securities with clearing organizations to satisfy daily margin and clearing fund requirements. At December 31, 2007, substantially all government obligations owned were pledged to clearing organizations.

Financial instruments owned and pledged, where the counterparty has the right to repledge, at December 31, 2007 consisted of the following:

 Stocks
 \$ 4,441,556,988

 U.S. Treasury Bills
 184,433,722

 \$ 4,625,990,710

6. Short-Term Borrowings

Short-term borrowings of \$126,412,413 consists primarily of collateralized borrowing facilities with clearing banks in multiple currencies that bear interest at fluctuating overnight rates based on interbank funds rates prevailing in the respective currencies. All short-term borrowings were either repaid the next business day or rolled forward and, accordingly, their carrying value at December 31, 2007 approximated their fair value.

7. Liabilities Subordinated to the Claims of General Creditors

At December 31, 2007, the Company had an unsecured subordinated loan of \$260,000,000 with IBG LLC that matures on June 30, 2008 and bears interest at a rate of 6.85% at December 31, 2007.

8. Commitments, Contingencies and Guarantees

Litigation

The Company is subject to certain pending and threatened legal actions which arise out of the normal course of business. Litigation is inherently unpredictable, particularly in proceedings where claimants seek substantial or indeterminate damages, or which are in their early stages. The Company cannot predict with certainty the actual loss or range of loss related to such legal proceedings, the manner in which they will be resolved, the timing of final resolution or the ultimate settlement. Consequently, the Company cannot estimate losses or ranges of losses related to such legal matters, even in instances where it is reasonably possible that a future loss will be incurred. In the opinion of management, after consultation with counsel, the resolution of all ongoing legal proceedings will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition, results of operations or cash flows of the Company. The Company accounts for potential losses related to litigation in accordance with SFAS No. 5 "Accounting for Contingencies." As of December 31, 2007 no reserves for potential losses related to litigation matters were deemed necessary.

Leases

The Company has non-cancelable operating leases covering office space with terms through January 2014, with renewal options through January 2026. One office lease is subject to escalation clauses based on specified costs incurred by the landlord and contains a renewal election.

Minimum future rental payment commitments, inclusive of amounts to be allocated to affiliates, are as follows:

<u>Year</u>		
2008	\$	4,892,829
2009		4,958,064
2010		5,021,383
2011		5,086,618
2012		5,145,145
Thereafter		5,608,441
	<u>\$</u>	30,712,480

Guarantees - The Company provides guarantees to securities and futures clearinghouses and exchanges which meet the accounting definition of a guarantee under Financial Accounting Standards Board Interpretation No. 45, "Guarantor's Accounting and Disclosure Requirements for Guarantees, Including Indirect Guarantees of Indebtedness of Others." Under the standard membership agreement, members are required to guarantee the performance of other members. Under the agreements, if another member becomes unable to satisfy its obligations to the clearinghouse, other members would be required to meet shortfalls. In the opinion of management, the Company's liability under these arrangements is not quantifiable and could exceed the cash and securities it has posted as collateral. However, the potential for the Company to be required to make payments under these arrangements is remote. Accordingly, no contingent liability is carried in the statement of financial condition for these arrangements.

Other Commitments- Certain clearing organizations used by the Company are given a security interest in certain assets of the Company held by those clearing organizations. These assets may be applied to satisfy the Company's obligations to the respective clearing organizations.

9. Related Party Transactions

THE, THC, THA and THSHK are registered securities dealers in Switzerland, Canada, Australia and Hong Kong, respectively, and trade on a proprietary basis and engage in execution and clearing for affiliates. IB LLC, IBUK, IBC and IBI are registered broker-dealers in the US, Great Britain, Canada and India, respectively, and engage in execution and clearing securities services for customers and affiliates. IBH provides the

Group with computer programming services and IBEC holds certain of the Group's strategic investments. IBG LLC is the holding company for the group of operating companies. These companies share administrative, financial and technological resources and the broker-dealer and securities dealer operating companies engage in securities transactions such as trade execution in the ordinary course of business with the Company.

Included in assets in the statement of financial condition are the following amounts with related parties at December 31, 2007:

Securities borrowed - stock and bond borrows	\$ 298,444,327
Other receivables:	
Brokers, dealers and dearing organizations: Stock settlements receivable Brokerage transactions receivable Dividends receivable	\$ 1,794,362 59,427 77,266
Affiliates: Advances receivable Administrative and service fees receivable Brokerage fees receivable Loan receivable	\$ 1,603,210 3,618,736 3,830,712 171,000,000
Interest	\$ 2,888,921

The loan receivable from affiliate of \$171,000,000 bears interest of 5.00% and is payable on demand.

Included in liabilities in the statement of financial condition are the following amounts with related parties at December 31, 2007:

Securities loaned, collateralized by cash	\$ 1,034,321,350
Other payables:	
Brokers, dealers and clearing organizations: Foreign currency settlements payable	\$ 680,367,386
Affiliates:	
Advances payable	\$ 1,112,104
Consulting and administrative fees payable	3,752,659
Brokerage fees payable	2,402,841
Loan payable	74,800,000
Customers - brokerage transactions payable	4,200, <i>7</i> 98
Employee incentive plans payable ((Notes 11 and 13)	16,880,417
Interest	\$ 7,299,567
Subordinated Ioan payable (Note 7)	\$ 260,000,000

The loan payable to affiliate of \$74,800,000 bears interest of 6.10% and is payable on demand.

10. Segregation of Funds

In accordance with the Commodity Exchange Act, the Company is required to segregate all monies, securities and property received to margin and to guarantee or secure the trades or contracts of customers in regulated commodities. At December 31, 2007, segregated funds exceeded such requirements by \$220,079. At December 31, 2007, cash in the amount of \$664,996 and U.S. Treasury Bills, with a market value of \$249,648,056 were segregated.

11. Defined Contribution and Employee Incentive Plans

Defined Contribution Plan

The Group offers substantially all employees of U.S.-based Operating Companies who have met minimum service requirements the opportunity to participate in defined contribution retirement plans qualifying under the provisions of Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code. The general purpose of these plans is to provide employees with an incentive to make regular savings in order to provide additional financial security during retirement. These plans provide for the Group to match 50% of the employees' pre-tax contribution, up to a maximum of 10% of eligible earnings. The employee is vested in the matching contribution incrementally over six years.

Employee Incentive Plans

See Note 13 for information regarding changes to the Group's employee incentive plans and the adoption of new plans by IBG, Inc. in connection with its IPO and the Recapitalization.

Return on Investment Dollar Units ("ROI Dollar Units")

Between 1998 and 2006, IBG LLC granted all non-member employees ROI Dollar Units, which are redeemable under the amended provisions of the plan, and in accordance with regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service (Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code). Upon redemption, the grantee is entitled to accumulated earnings on the face value of the certificate, but not the actual face value. For grants made in 1998 and 1999, grantees may redeem the ROI Dollar Units after vesting on the fifth anniversary of the date of their grant and prior to the tenth anniversary of the date of their grant. For grants made between January 1, 2000 and January 1, 2005, grantees must elect to redeem the ROI Dollar Units upon the fifth, seventh or tenth anniversary date. These ROI Dollar Units will vest upon the fifth anniversary of the date of their grant and will continue to accumulate earnings until the elected redemption date. For grants made on or after January 1, 2006, all ROI Dollar Units shall vest on the fifth anniversary date of their grant and will be automatically redeemed.

As of December 31, 2007, payables to employees of the Company for ROI Dollar Units were \$8,167,552, of which \$3,999,749 were vested. These amounts are included in accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities in the statement of financial condition. In connection with the IPO (see Note 13), certain employees, at their option, elected to invest their respective vested and non-vested accumulated earnings on ROI Dollar Units as of December 31, 2006, \$9,433,373, in the 2007 ROI Unit Stock Plan.

IBG LLC Redeemable Members' Interests

Prior to January 2, 2006, selected employees had been granted non-transferable member interests in IBG LLC, which conferred ownership rights in IBG LLC and entitled the holders to their proportionate share of the consolidated profits and losses of IBG LLC based on their holding percentages beginning on the date of the grant.

The "Agreement as to Member Interest Purchase Rights" (the "Agreement") gave IBG LLC the right to repurchase any member's interests at its discretion at any time which, in particular, was triggered by the termination of employment of a member-employee, and also permitted members to sell their interests back to IBG LLC at any time, in every case for an amount equal to management's estimate of fair value, which is book value as defined in the Agreement. Because IBG LLC places a high value on the retention of its key employees, payment for a portion of redeemed interests was contingent on a postredemption consulting services requirement that, among other conditions, required that a member-employee not compete with IBG LLC in any area of its businesses for five years following the date of redemption. In order to enforce these terms, payment for one-half of the redeemed interests was, under normal conditions, made within five months after the redemption date. Payment for the remaining one-half of the redeemed interests was made five years hence, subject to satisfaction of the consulting services and non-compete provisions of the Agreement. IBG LLC recognized compensation expense equal to the granted interest at the time of grant. If and when the terms of the five-year consulting and non-compete period were satisfied, IBG LLC recorded a distribution of redeemable members' interests at such time as the remaining payment was made to the member-employee. Should any portion of a member-employee's interests be forfeited, such forfeited member interests would be redistributed among the remaining members in proportion to their holding percentages. See Note 13 for information regarding the IPO and the Recapitalization.

12. Net Capital Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital. The Company has elected to use the alternative method permitted by the rule, which requires the Company, as a market maker, to maintain minimum net capital in an amount not less than \$2,500 for each security in which it makes a market (unless a security in which it makes a market has a market value of \$5 or less, in which event the amount of net capital shall be not less than \$1,000 for each such security), with a maximum requirement of \$1,000,000 or 2% of aggregate debit balances arising from customer transactions, as defined. The Company is also subject to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's minimum financial requirements (Regulation 1.17), which requires that the Company maintain minimum net capital, as defined, equal to 8% of the total risk margin requirement for all positions carried in customer accounts plus 4% of the total risk margin for all positions carried in non-customer accounts. The Uniform Net Capital Rule also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if resulting net capital would be less than 5% of aggregate debits. At December 31, 2007, the Company had net capital of \$882,283,241, which was \$866,024,937 in excess of required net capital of \$16,258,304.

13. IBG, Inc. IPO and Recapitalization

On May 3, 2007, IBG, Inc. priced its IPO of shares of Class A common stock ("Common Stock"). In connection with the IPO, IBG, Inc. purchased 10.0% of the membership interests in IBG LLC from IBG Holdings LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, became the sole managing member of IBG LLC and began to consolidate IBG LLC's financial results into its financial statements.

Immediately prior to and immediately following the consummation of the IPO, IBG, Inc., IBG Holdings LLC, IBG LLC and the members of IBG LLC consummated a series of transactions collectively referred to herein as the "Recapitalization." In connection with the Recapitalization, IBG, Inc., IBG Holdings LLC and the historical members of IBG LLC entered into an exchange agreement, dated as of May 3, 2007 (the "Exchange Agreement"), pursuant to which the historical members of IBG LLC received membership interests in IBG Holdings LLC in exchange for their membership interests in IBG LLC. Additionally, IBG, Inc. became the sole managing member of IBG LLC.

In connection with the consummation of the IPO, IBG Holdings LLC used the net proceeds to redeem 10.0% of members' interests in IBG Holdings LLC in proportion to their interests. Immediately following the Recapitalization and IPO, IBG Holdings LLC owned 90.0% of IBG LLC and 100% of IBG, Inc.'s Class B common stock, which has voting power in IBG, Inc. proportionate to the extent of IBG Holdings LLC's ownership of IBG LLC.

The Exchange Agreement also provides for future redemptions of member interests and for the purchase of member interests in IBG LLC by IBG, Inc. from IBG Holdings LLC, which is expected to result in IBG, Inc. acquiring the remaining member interests in IBG LLC that it does not own. On an annual basis, holders of IBG Holdings LLC member interests will be able to request redemption of such member interests over an eight (8) year period following the initial public offering; 12.5% annually for seven (7) years and 2.5% in the eighth year. The primary manner in which the redemption price is expected to be paid is from the proceeds from sales of additional shares of Common Stock. 360 million shares of authorized Common Stock have been reserved for such future sales.

Employee Incentive Plans

In connection with the Recapitalization and the IPO, IBG, Inc. adopted the 2007 Stock Incentive Plan and the 2007 ROI Unit Stock Plan, each of which is discussed below.

2007 Stock Incentive Plan

Under the Interactive Brokers Group, Inc. 2007 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Stock Incentive Plan"), up to 9.2 million shares of Common Stock may be granted and issued to directors, officers, employees, contractors and consultants of IBG, Inc. and its subsidiaries. The purpose of the Stock Incentive Plan is to promote IBG, Inc.'s long-term financial success by attracting, retaining and rewarding eligible participants.

The Stock Incentive Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of IBG, Inc.'s board of directors. The Compensation Committee has discretionary authority to determine which employees are eligible to participate in the Stock Incentive Plan. The

Compensation Committee establishes the terms and conditions of the awards under the Stock Incentive Plan, including the number of awards offered to each employee and all other terms and conditions applicable to such awards in individual grant agreements. Awards are expected to be made primarily through grants of Common Stock. The Stock Incentive Plan will provide that awards will be subject to issuance over time and may be forfeited upon an employee's termination of employment or violation of certain applicable covenants prior to issuance, unless determined otherwise by the Compensation Committee.

The Stock Incentive Plan provides that, upon a change in control, the Compensation Committee may, at its discretion, fully vest any granted but unissued shares of Common Stock awarded under the Stock Incentive Plan, or provide that any such granted but unissued shares of Common Stock will be honored or assumed, or new rights substituted therefor by the new employer on a substantially similar basis and on terms and conditions substantially comparable to those of the Stock Incentive Plan.

IBG, Inc. granted awards in connection with the IPO and is expected to continue to grant awards on or about January 1 of each year following the IPO, to specific employees as part of an overall plan of equity compensation. 210,135 shares of restricted Common Stock that were granted to employees of the Company at the time of the IPO, including liabilities for member interest grants of \$3,719,000 as of December 31, 2006, have been or will be issued in accordance with the following schedule:

- 10% on the date of the IPO; and
- an additional 15% on each of the first six anniversaries of the date of the IPO, assuming continued employment with Group companies and compliance with noncompetition and other applicable covenants.

For the year ended December 31, 2007, Company employees were granted awards of 241,951 shares of Common Stock, with a fair value at the date of grant of \$7,534,354 based upon the December 2007 Volume Weighted Average Price ("VWAP") (\$31.14) of the IBG, Inc.'s Common Stock. These share grants were issued to IBG LLC as of December 31, 2007, to be held as Treasury Stock, and will be distributed to employees in accordance with the following schedule:

- 10% on the anniversary of the IPO; and
- an additional 15% on each of the next six anniversaries of the date of the IPO, assuming continued employment with Group companies and compliance with noncompetition and other applicable covenants.

Future grants under the Stock Incentive Plan will be accrued for ratably during each year under the SFAS No. 123(R) "Graded Vesting" method.

2007 ROI Unit Stock Plan

Certain employees of the Company currently hold ROI Dollar Units (as described in Note 11) that entitle each holder thereof to accumulated earnings on the face value of the certificate representing his or her ROI Dollar Units. Subsequent to the IPO, no additional ROI Dollar Units will be granted. Non-cash compensation to employees will consist primarily of grants of shares of Common Stock as described above under "2007"

Stock Incentive Plan." In connection with the IPO, ROI Dollar Units were, at the employee's option, redeemable for cash as currently provided for under the current ROI Dollar Unit plan, or the accumulated earnings attributable to the ROI Dollar Units as of December 31, 2006 may have been elected to be invested in shares of Common Stock pursuant to the Interactive Brokers Group, Inc. 2007 ROI Unit Stock Plan (the "ROI Unit Stock Plan"). 673,382 shares of restricted Common Stock to be issued to employees of the Company under the ROI Unit Stock Plan have been or will be distributed in accordance with the following schedule, subject to the conditions below:

- 10% on the date of the IPO (or on the first anniversary of the IPO, in the case of U.S. ROI Unit holders who made the above-referenced elections after December 31, 2006); and
- an additional 15% on each of the first six anniversaries of the date of the IPO (or on each of the next six anniversaries of the date of the IPO, in the case of U.S. ROI Unit holders who made the above-referenced elections after December 31, 2006), assuming continued employment with Group companies and compliance with other applicable covenants.

Shares granted under the 2007 ROI Unit Stock Plan and the Stock Incentive Plan are subject to forfeiture in the event an employee ceases employment with the Company. The plans provide that employees who discontinue employment with the Company without cause and continue to meet the terms of the plans' post-employment provisions will forfeit 50% of unvested previously granted shares unless the employee is over the age of 59, in which case the employee would be eligible to receive 100% of unvested shares previously granted. Distributions of remaining shares to former employees will occur on the anniversary of the IPO following the discontinuation of employment over a five (5) year vesting schedule, 12.5% in each of the first four years and 50% in the fifth year.

14. Subsequent Event

On January 15, 2008, the Company's Managing Member approved and paid a cash dividend to the members of the Company totaling \$36,843,684.

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In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Timber Hill LLC (the "Company") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007 (on which we issued our report dated February 26, 2008), in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of compliance with such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g), in the following: (1) making the periodic computations of aggregate debits and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11); and (2) determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. We did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by Rule 17 a-13 or in complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities.

In addition, as required by Regulation 1.16 of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (the "CFTC"), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding customer and firm assets. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Regulation 1.16, in the following: (1) making the periodic computations of minimum financial requirements pursuant to Regulation 1.17; (2) making the daily computations of the segregation requirements of Section 4d(a)(2) of the Commodity Exchange Act and the regulations thereunder, and the segregation of funds based on such computations; and (3) making the daily computations of the foreign futures and foreign options secured amount requirements pursuant to Regulation 30.7 of the CFTC.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraphs. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraphs and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's and the CFTC's abovementioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has

responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) and Regulation 1.16(d)(2) list additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraphs.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first, second, and third paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second and third paragraphs of this report are considered by the SEC and CFTC to be adequate for their purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Commodity Exchange Act, and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second and third paragraphs of this report, were adequate at December 31, 2007, to meet the SEC's and CFTC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, the CFTC, the Chicago Board Options Exchange, the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Regulation 1.16 of the CFTC in their regulation of registered broker-dealers and futures commission merchants, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Yours truly,

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